

Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Church Iglesia Católica San Juan el Evangelista

MAY 14, 2017 — FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
14 DE MAYO DE 2017 — QUINTO DOMINGO DE PASCUA



5th Sunday OF EASTER

Jesus said to him, “I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.” - Jn 14:6

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LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday5:30 p.m.
Sunday..... 9:00 a.m.
Daily Masses: ..Thursday 8:30 a.m.
 ..Wednesday and Friday 12 noon
CONFESSIONS (Saturday)..... 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

HORARIO LITURGICO

Domingo.....12:15 p.m (Español)
Misa Diaria: ..Jueves 8:30 a.m (Ingles)
 ..Miércoles y Viernes 12:00 del medio día
CONFESSIONES (Sábado)..... 4:30 p.m. o por cita

HORARIO DE OFICINAS

LUNES—JUEVES: 9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.
VIERNES: 9:00 a.m. - 12 del medio día

OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday: 9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.
Friday: 9:00 a.m.—12 NOON

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St John Parish Calendar

SATURDAY May 13, 2017
 4:30 PM Reconciliation
 5:30 PM Mass all mothers living & deceased

SUNDAY May 14, 2017
 9:00 AM Mass soul of Leah Flores
 10:00 AM Rosary
 12:15 PM Misa

WEDNESDAY May 17, 2017
 12:00 Noon Mass

THURSDAY May 18, 2017
 8:30 AM Mass

FRIDAY May 19, 2017
 12:00 Noon Mass for the soul of Robert Strutton

SATURDAY May 20, 2017
 4:30 PM Reconciliation
 5:30 PM Mass souls of Melchor & Roberto Pasarda

SUNDAY May 21, 2017
 9:00 AM Mass parishioners St. John, St. Patrick
 And St. Peter
 10:00 AM Rosary
 12:15 PM Misa

ST. PETER OFFERS MASS DAILY AT NOON



"In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If there were not, would I have told you that I am going to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back again and take you to myself, so that where I am you also may be." - Jn 14:2-3

Readings for the Week of May 14, 2017

Sunday: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/1 Pt 2:4-9/
 Jn 14:1-12

Monday: Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-4, 15-16/Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-13ab, 21/Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-5/Jn 15:1-8

Thursday: Acts 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-3, 10/Jn 15:9-11

Friday: Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-10, 12/Jn 15:12-17

Saturday: Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-3, 5/Jn 15:18-21

Next Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20/1

CONDOLENCES

St. John's family expresses deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Edna and Steve Stanley on the loss of their beloved husband and father, Doug, who died this past week. Please keep the family in your prayers.



**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS/
 RECUERDE EN SUS ORACIONES:**
Pray for

Keith Pinney, Edna Stanley, Rudy Calo'oy, John Kolakoski, Ron Price, Jr., Red and Nancy Goodman, Pat & Jerry

Nolte, Richard Painter, Martha Livingston, Deborah Shorter, Virginia Saunders, Maxine DiMarino, Isaias Fuentes, Melanie Patterson, Lillian Arthur, Carole Trent, Mary Helen Sohaski, Thomas Whitehead, Leslie Gray, Esperanza Godinez, Barbara Greene, Eugene Cooley and Joel Rivera.

Prayers for members of the Armed Forces; Daniel Gaudette, David Licciardello, Josh Drumheller, Lee Balderson, Daniel Johnson and Shon Azubike.

May 6 & 7, 2017

Weekly	
Actual	\$6,145.00
Budgeted	<u>\$5,170.00</u>
Difference	\$ 975.00
Year to Date	
Actual	\$209,461.25
Budgeted	<u>\$232,650.00</u>
Difference	(\$23,188.75)
Monthly Debt Expense	\$1,860.00
Monthly Debt Collection	<u>\$1,919.00</u>
Difference	\$ 59.00

Remaining Debt Balance \$58,253.44

MASS ATTENDANCE

5:30	9:00	12:15
85	240	400

The item being collected for **FISH** for **May**

Jelly or Popcorn

En el mes de **mayo**

Mermelada y Palomitas de Maíz (Pipocas)



Fr Rossi, Fr. Ernest, Fr. Frank and the entire St. John staff wish all mothers a blessed and joyful day.

Happy Easter Every One!!!

And Happy Mother's DAY!!!!!!

I love Mother's Day because I love mom. There's a word in Italian called 'mammone' which translates as "mama's boy."

I love both my earthly and my heavenly mother!

I think it is nice how the second reading is all about how the Deaconate was formed in response to the care that was being neglected to mom's (widows).

Did you catch that? The second reading describes the formation of the Deaconate (Deacons). Deacons came about because of the needs of moms (widows) whose husbands had passed. These ladies were older and needed to be supported because their husbands had died (they didn't have social security back then...or 401ks). But the problem was the priests were spending all their time preaching the word of God. So they said 'well, let's appoint some reputable men to take care of these women.' And these men were the first deacons.

So you can add deacons to the list of things to thank mom for, in addition to bandages on knees, hugs and smiles, great food, sleepless nights, countless prayers, and for our LIVES!

But maybe most importantly, we need to say thank you for how moms carry on and pass on the faith to their children. I dare say it is on the same level as the gift of the biological life they gave to their children.

Moms do so much in these regards. I know so many faithful moms and grandmas who tirelessly storm God with their prayers for their children, that their children will be faithful men and women or that their children would return to the faith; that their children will be virtuous boys and girls, men and women. They lay their hearts out to God for their loved ones, intensely.

Not that fathers do not as well, but most of the moms I know do it in a deeper and more intense way. It's just the way it is.

In this respect they certainly, whether intentionally or not, reflect the image of our Mother in heaven.

Where would the world be without moms. Where would the church be without moms. Where would our souls be without moms.

Thank you mom. No one will ever know how much you do for your children, but I promise that heaven does.

Fr Rossi

Thank you Notes

To the Council of Women for the nice reception that the ladies put together, for the First Communion children on Sunday. Excellent job.

To our First Communion Catechists: Mary Miskimon and Gisela Estrada for their hard work and commitment.

To Fr. Gino Rossi, who celebrated an unforgettable mass for all the children receiving their First Communion.

Thank you to all for making every celebration always a special one.

From the Religious Education office...

Another wonderful Catechetical year has come to an end! On Sunday April 30th, our catechists, youth and children gathered in the social hall for a wonderful end of year prayer service to give thanks to our Lord for all the blessings received through the year. Fr. Ernest Livasia Bulinda did a great job blessing everyone at the Prayer Service. After we got our blessings the children and youth went outside to enjoy the cookout, games, soccer and other activities. Everyone had fun. This year we enrolled 132 children. Congratulations and thank you to those parents who brought their children to class every, or almost every, Sunday – rain or shine. They are truly fulfilling the obligations that they made at the baptism of their children. During this Easter season, we received into the church four newly baptized and one in full communion. Last Sunday, 32 children received their First Communion, and on June 4th, three young men and four young women will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. All this amazing work could not have been done without your prayers, your support and, most importantly, our wonderful catechists. A big thank you and endless praise to each one of them. If you encounter our volunteers, please thank them for the marvelous job they do to pass along the faith to our children and to every man and woman that is searching for their faith. Our catechists are Theresa Altland, Carmen Turkoff, Josephine Austin, Leticia Mancía, Mary Miskimon, Gisela Estrada, Julie Hinman, Janice Mayer, Judy Patterson, Dania Chamale, Sharon Lucas, Rocio Carrillo, Jon Bangs, Lisa Murillo, Neilann Brown, Maria Garcia, Dan Mages, Ed Gillikin, Rodolfo Velazquez, Emiliano Velazquez, Federico Alegria, Moises Cornejo, Zoila Arteaga and Juan Coronado; our Religious Education coordinators are Maria Garcia and Mary Miskimon; our hall monitor is Dianne Cassady. I want to personally thank all of them for sharing their time and talents. I also give thanks to the Lord for all of you that make it possible for St. John's to have a Religious Education Program. Muchas Gracias. May God always bless you. Paulita Matheny. Director Of Religious Education.

Congratulations / Felicidades



Congratulations to the following children who received their First Communion this past weekend! Jaslena Alvarez, Chaleo Bangs, Noah Chamale, Francisco Diaz, Abiel Estrada, Jose Franco, Marissa Henning, Anai Ibanez, Orion Ignacio, Andrea Lira Tovar, Javier Lara, Evelyn Lopez, Andrea Perez Lopez, Evelyn Perez Lopez, Carlos Macias, Oscar

Daniel Macias, Dulce Maria Marriquin, Perla Maria Marriquin, Jose Mejia, Dianna Posada, Jose Del cid Posada, Lindsay Rouse, Ana Sanchez, Reyna Sanchez, Angela Tepaz, Kevin Tepaz and Alejandra Vasquez. From all of us in our parish, many blessings to the First Communicants.

The SJP drawing is the Thursday, May 18th after the 8:30 am Mass. You are welcome to join us. For information call Diana Young 647-5665.